

## House Resolution No. 143

**Whereas**, it is always a pleasure for the members of the Missouri House of Representatives to recognize an outstanding Show-Me State couple who have ceaselessly embraced the promises made to one another so many years ago; and

**Whereas**, Mr. and Mrs. Gilmer Hemmann, treasured residents of Uniontown, Missouri, commemorated the jubilant occasion of their Golden Wedding Anniversary with a special celebration hosted by their loved ones on October 17, 2004, at Grace Lutheran Church Fellowship Hall; and

**Whereas**, Gilmer and Wilberta Hemmann attained this impressive milestone by the sincere commitment they have demonstrated to each other since their marriage on October 16, 1954; and

**Whereas**, on that unforgettable day, Gilmer Hemmann and Wilberta Schrader promised to devote themselves to each other throughout all the days of their lives during a beautiful wedding ceremony at the Holy Cross Lutheran Church in St. Louis; and

**Whereas**, over the course of the past half century, Gilmer and Wilberta Hemmann have had the pleasure of watching their family grow to include their children and their spouses, Betty and Daniel Buchheit of Columbia, Paul and Gayle Hemmann of St. Louis, Donna and Alan Roth of Frohna, Steven and Suzanne Hemmann of Columbia, Daniel and Carol Hemmann of Jackson, and Julia and Jim Sheets of Arnold; and their grandchildren, Emilee and Joseph Buchheit, Kaitlyn and Eric Hemmann, Benjamin Hemmann, Casey and Nicole Hemmann, Alison and Andrew Roth, and Jamie and Jacob Sheets; and

**Whereas**, Gilmer and Wilberta Hemmann truly serve as an example of the way marriage was intended to be as demonstrated by their enjoyment of daily companionship, their constant display of support for one another, and their shared commitment in respecting the feelings and opinions of each other; and

**Whereas**, Gilmer and Wilberta Hemmann are an exceptional couple whose five decades of shared happiness, affection, and devotion so beautifully illustrate the abundant triumphs of a successful marriage:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, join unanimously in extending our most hearty congratulations to Gilmer and Wilberta Hemmann upon the joyous occasion of their Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary and in wishing them continued prosperity as they begin their fifty-first year of wedded bliss; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Mr. and Mrs. Gilmer Hemmann.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Scott A. Lipke  
District No. 157

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,  
Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do  
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House  
Resolution No. 143, adopted January 18, 2005.

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Rod Jetton, Speaker